

Abstract

A system for personalizing and issuing identity documents such as national ID cards, drivers licenses and the like, and booklets such as passports and the like, at a location remote from a central issuing agency. The system permits remote

5 personalization and issuance of documents under mobile conditions while ensuring the security and integrity of the issuance process. The system operates under local control by an operator, but requires authorization from a remote agency prior to any personalization procedures or document issuance.

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